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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Meghan Elizabeth LaFevor, 2009 Valedictorian of Spring Hill High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Meghan Elizabeth LaFevor is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Spring Hill High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Meghan has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and has demonstrated outstanding leadership through her involvement with numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, a leader among her peers, Meghan LaFevor has given of her time and many talents as a member of Delta Mu Delta, the Raider Club, Phi Theta Kappa, the Parent Teacher Student Association, Drug Free Clubs of America, Health Occupations Students of America, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the Beta Club, Explorer Post # 109 at Maury Regional Hospital, the 4-H Club, and the Girl Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her success in the classroom, Meghan has also excelled in the athletic realm as a member of the Lady Raider softball, volleyball, and basketball teams; and

WHEREAS, for her athletic ability, she earned the Lady Raider Big Stick Award for softball; was named to the All Academic Team in 2008 by the Middle Tennessee Coaches Softball Association and the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association (TSSAA) All District 10-AA Team from 2006-2008; honored as the TSSAA Coaches Poll-High School Fast

pitch Softball Break Out Player in 2007; and honored with the Softball Best Pitcher Award in 2006, the Volleyball Best Defensive Specialist Award in 2006, and the Volleyball Most Improved Award in 2005 and awarded the title of Lady Raider Most Valuable Player in 2006 and 2007; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades for her many accomplishments, Ms. LaFevor was elected President of Health Occupations Students of America for the State of Tennessee in 2008; was named in *Who's Who in Leadership and Service*, *Who's Who Among Honor Students*, *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, and *Who's Who Among All-American Scholars*; was awarded the Girl Scout Bronze Award, Silver Award, and the prestigious Girl Scout Gold Award; and received a God and Country Medallion from the Boy/Girl Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, Meghan's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Mr. Paul E. LaFevor and Dr. Kim LaFevor, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Meghan LaFevor's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Spring Hill High School Valedictorian, Meghan Elizabeth LaFevor, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.